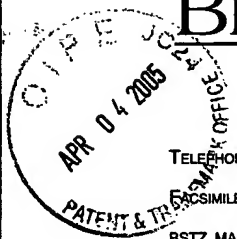


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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is the Certificate of Correction (two copies) for the above-referenced patent.
This request for correction is made under rule 322 of the Rules of Practice and 35 U.S.C.
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 2, at line 47, delete "call" and insert --can--.
In column 3, at line 42, delete "tile" and insert --the--.
In column 4, at line 32, after "is" delete "a".

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